TOWNS OF LAS VEGAS

BY SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Special Correspondence. Las Vegas, N. M., Aug. 19 .-- 8 proposition on the Pecon river. Mr. Plake thinks there is little doubt but that it will be built, as the people in charge of the proposition to install imwater turbines at what is known as the Dalton ranch on the Pecos, for the purpose of furnishing Santa Fe and Las Veges with cheap electric power, are monied men. The ompany, mostly, are Ohio capitalists. ad a couple of brothers by the name of Miller are pushing the scheme and raining the money back east. It is thought a couple of plants on the os will easily generate 5,000 horse ower, and the electric full will be Santa Fe, about fourteen miles sway, and Les Vegas, about sixteen miles, by heavy wire. The feasibility of the project has been thoroughly inventigated, and the company says there will be plenty of water in the Pecos at all times of the year to give the desired amount of power. There is a stretch of two miles, along which the turbines can be placed. There is room for four, though it is contem plated to only put in two at the present time. A. R. Gibson, of Santa Fe oter, is the genius who originsted the idea, and it seems there is little doubt but what the power houses will be put in.

Cheap electric power, the best power btainable, will do wonders for the dement of New Mexico. Manufac on a large scale is thereby made lly possible, and decidedly pr With such power, one may take much or as little as he likes. A ewing machine may be run at the e, or heavy milling work may be e just as easily. One may then buy ping that the plant may material se, and that Las Vegas will get her

or the rapid growth of our city.

Mrs. A. H. Whitmore has invitation
out for a party Thursday afternoon. be given in honor of Miss Knick ker and hirs. Ray, who are visit-

ing in the Meadow City, many in the case of the First National bank of Las Vegas against Parker and Lulu Wells, an attachment ault for several thousand dollars, the court has d the large herd of coule sold has been brought to a pu

shout ten days ago by his son into was 68 years of age and will be Hon. J. S. Diffian left today fo

Las Cruces and the southers part of

staying there at present. A settlement in the Juan A

van estate has been made by Referee Manby on the basis of 25 cents on the dollar, though it is thought that all liabilities will eventually be paid in Frank Clay and Everett West pa

ed up a camping outfit on burros direction of Edwards' ranch. They The Brotherhood of Railway

men will give a big dance at Ros all Thursday night. Ehler's orchestra will furnish the melody.

W. G. Auderson, of the Optic force ill leave tonight or tomorrow for re he will embark in the news usiness. Mr. Anderson leaves count of his wife's bealth, the tude being too great for her in Las ig his stay in Las Vegas, and genof Frank G. Schmidt, who evidently

hie Glichrist was the he im of a surprise party last night. ore of the plot were the of the Christian of the Presbyterian church. The

friends hore, but they are at the same time glad of her good fortune in secur-Fiske, the Santa Fe attorney, is boost- ing such a good position at Rincon. ing up the proposed electric power and their best wishes follow her in her work

terday evening in the Pullman

some official matters, but

to California to inspect some of

of the reporter with cordinity. In reasons to a query as to his described of leaguetion to some of the standard house, and have just book to have now

homes there." Mr. Tucker said the

salvation work was progressing nicely

in the United States. Col. Holland

the head of the Fort Amity home for

done at Fort Amity was put in the

The ball given by the east side fire

company at the city hall last night

enjoyable affair. The large up stairs

floor had been planed down and waxed

and was in fair shape. The hall had

form for the musicians by the erection

tions. The music was furnished by

four members of the company, and the

merriment continued until about 3

o'clock this morning. A nice sum was

& Moise, to acquire judgment in the

aum of about \$200 for goods and mer-

George J. Irwin who came here

for his health, died vesterday at the

chandise sold to defendants.

the citizens' liberal patronage.

hands of the reporter.

Mrs posed list.

The Sunday school class of W Anderson will tender him a farewell reception tonight at the home of V. A. Henry.

Judge William J. Mills and family will leave this evening for El Porvenir was largely attended and was a very to be gone several days among the pines for a period of recreation and

Mrs. J. Holmes is confined to home with illness.

Mrs. H. M. Dice, Mrs. H. C. Brown and Miss Offic Gatchel took their Sun- of a couple of ladders, with some of day school classes up to the park at the fire fighting apparatus as decora-Hot Springs today for a piente

Miss Artless Browne will entertain a number of her young frends Friday night with a menagerie party.

Mrs. C. C. Wray, wife of an ex-cl dispatcher who resided here, arrived ere this atternoon from Los Angel ecompanied by her daughter, and will Suit has been filed in Union county make a short visit with Mrs. C. D. by Jerry Jarrell to restrain Thomas P.

Mrs. William Hickson arrived this or attempting to sell to afternoon from Los Angeles and will visit with Mrs. Thomas Hayward and cattle. A temporary injunction was

Onte Biddle, who has been in city some time for his health, left this afternoon for Dodge City, lowa.

A large number of Knights of thias went through east today, en Guadalupe county against Goldammer of the supreme lodge in San Francisco, Tonight at 8 o'clock, at the residence of J. E. McMahon, on the corner of Fourth and National, will occur the marriage of Miss Lou Weber to Daniel Miss Weber is a niece of Mrs. McManon, and was formerly the school teacher at Cassidy. Mr. Hellern not been up. He took his breakfast in is of the Santa Fe engineering corps not been up. He took morning, but was Father Pouget will tie the nuptiel not seen during the day. As he had not seen during the day. As he had not appear during the evening, some knot, and start the young people down of the people in the hotel became susthe connubial road to happiness.

Mrs. Charles Schock, wife of former was locked and no response came to Engineer Schock here, will leave to their knocks. An entrance was forced morrow for Kansas for a visit.

The infantry company will have The infantry company will have an across the bed. He was cold and stiff, other hop Saturday night. It will be said had evidently been dead some given in the vacant store room next to inours." The death resulted, evidently, 21 3 n weakness and exhaustion, as he

At the meeting of the directors of when he died. He was a sufferer from the Montenore congregation last night. Rabbi Dr. M. Lefkovits, of Nashville, Tenn., was selected as the rabbi to fill grams have been sent to the addresses the bitter disappointment he and the vacancy here in the local temple. to ascertain what disposition shall be Dr. Lefkovits comes highly recom; made of the remains, mended, is a doctor of philosophy and Yesterday at the mended, is a doctor of philosophy and Yesterday at the county institute, a graduate of a German university. He which is being held at the normal oung man, only 28 years of ago, school, there were twenty-eight pres-Il be justly popular in our city. ent. The institute this year is prov-

of September, being unable to be successful ever held. There are two applicants from Guadalupe county to-day. E. Hodges, general purchasing day, there being no institute held in agent for the Santa Fe, and party, that county. has night from the south and Mrs. Griffith and Miss Kittle Hill, plug went up to the Hot who have been visiting in the city.

pe a short sojourn. The party vesterday returned to their home in N. M., Aug. 20.aded last night about 7:30 of Las Vegas. He left about one and a

Trinidad on her return.

et fields in Colorado.

Marshal Curtright received a list of

dad yesterday afternoon, and found be

he having gotten them from the house

tole them several months ago in Trin

ind. They were returned on No.

fessrs. Leonard & Hinckle, in Trini-

Mrs. William Clark and Mrs. Han

rday for Colorado Springs.

Mrs. C. F. Jones and son will leave

perow for Los Lunas for a visit

se in New York. Mr. Tucker is

ost of them in his possession

ournt the company to the Elhalf years ago and is very well known torado potel to extinguish a blaze in here. He was a driver for Sig Moye at the rooms of Mr. and Mrs. F. Barling, one time, and has relatives in this proprietors of the hotel. The fire city. "Buffalo Bill's" purchasing agent he loss of a dresser, gold watch, pearl for the show was here today and made pera glasses and some clothing, little arrangements for feed here. The aggregation of the "wild and woolly" will amage was done. The fire was a peculiar one, inasmuch as it evidently how in Las Vegas on October 4 and originated in the dresser in the room will make a jump from here to Hutch it being entirely consumed. The room inson, Kas, in other places was scorched badly Mrs. H. T. Unsell entertained the and things wet by the stream of water, Young Ladies' Whist club this afterbut the only damage outside of this

room was to screens and windows in John Ryan, of St. Louis, died last

Roy Mondragon, one of the men who

other parts of the building. How the night shortly after 9 o'clock at the fire originated is a mystery. Mrs. Bar-Ladies' Home of tuberculosis. He came here about the middle of July seeking ling thinks some one had been rifling the drawers and dropped a match in relief from his trouble, but his trouble was too far advanced. He roomed at them, setting them on fire. It may also have been some matches in the drawer the Shenck house until Sunday, when which, in some way, became ignited. he was taken to the home. His folks The insurance of \$1,000 on the furniin St. Louis were telegraphed and are ture and personal effects will more on their way here now. than cover, by considerable, the dam-

Dave Condin has a girl at his house Miss Condin arrived last night and Miss Cora Stern returned yesterday her father is the recipient of congratuevening from her summer's visit at St. lations today.

C. W. Browne and family arrived Louis. She stopped off a day or so in this afternoon from El Pasó and will Another "invoice" of Navajo Indians visit with his brothers in this city. vent south last night from the sugar

Fred Mendenhall, who was incar cerated in the insane asylum June from in the vicinity of Bell ranch. this morning escaped from the asylum the scolen carpenter tools from Trinibetween 8 and 9 o'clock. It is not known yet how the escape was made nor in what direction he went. search is being made for him today.

The Hebrew Ladies' Whist club met esterday afternoon at the home of today to the owners, C. M. Rose and Mrs. Benjamin Lewis. J. C. La Masters has resigned his

sition as engineer at the city pickler and left today for Los Lunas, where he ah, who have been in Las Vegas the will have charge of the Jones & Smith gix months for their health, left flouring mill. Miss Fannie Weisskopf, sister it

> law to L. Reich, arrived here today from St. Louis for a visit. Mrs. W. H. Watson, of Hot Springer, came in this afternoon ith Mrs. J. S. Chark

The Meadow City boys had casy sailing in their game with Santa F the city poor, was also along, and a Sunday, says the Optic.

The Ancients fielded like amateur and their batting streak happened when there were no men on bases. Our boys were somewhat handleapped in the first two innings by the absence of Gross who holds down cushion No. 3 but Captain Hale injected ginger in large doses and said play ball.

Rhodes held down the rubber for been nicely decorated with bunting Las Vegas in a manner creditable to and an arch was formed over the plathimself and his friends are proud of

It must not be forgotten that th slab artist Flahert, pitched ball and with proper support would have kept down the score although the opinion is that even with a Gibson or a Mcnetted by the boys for company equip their Waterloo. Clockey the Ancients would have met

ment and they feel very grateful for Moran pulled down the cinco pesos offered by Manager Twitchell for put Jones from either rounding up. abused the pig skin by making a

date a mortgage on some 1,800 head of Levy was in fine form and granted by Judge Mills and the case fall into. Las Vegas may well feel will be up for its final hearing the first proud of her aggregation of ball play-Monday in September at Clayton. ers and through the efficient captainwhere the court will, at that time, be Chris Weigand has entered suit in as to take her measure.

Santa Fe's triumph was all before and. Those horns provided by the rooters from the Ancient, were nover short time ago from Sandwich, Illinois, sounded in the grand stand, but slum bered in concealed pockets. Bidorado hotel. The deceased had strongest aggregation that ever left Santa Fe, as the paper over there called them, found that there were oth ers; and the large crowd of visitors not seen during the day. As he did from that pueblo who came to witness 'the great balloon ascension," saw it and were sorry, for it was their own team that went up in the air. Santa Fe's aggregation must learn not to count their chickens before they are and/Mr. Irwin was found dead, lying hatched. Twitchell's tigers, as the Santa Fe paper predicted, didn't "ge in sight," but it was because the Sar ta Fe Centrals were so very far be hind from the very start they could the act of dressing himself neither see nor be seen.

Manager Martin, assistant warder of the penitentiary, has the sympathy person gave a clue to his home. Teleof all lovers of base ball over here, a team experienced, coming as they did in confidence to give Las Vegas "a shut out." The Santa Pe's made nine hits and the Las Vegans made ten. the difference lay in the fielding and the kind of hits made.

The line up of the teams were as follows:

Santa Fe-Vorhes, second base; G Parsons, catcher: B. Alarid, short McDonald, first base; third base; Shoemaker, center field; W. Parsons, left field; M. Alarid, right field: Flaherty, pitcher.

ran, catcher; Nygren, short stop; 7. was shot by tramps near Littleton, a Tipton, first base; Gross, third base; Denver suburb, in Colorado, a few Leo Tipton, center field; Levy, left days ago, proves to be an ex-resident field: Sandoval, right field; Rhodes, pitcher.

Score by Innings. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

002020101 Las Vegas 2 0 1 3 1 0 0 4 *-Batteries: Moran and Rhodes; Par sons and Flaherty.

CATTLE ON FOREST RESERVE Cattle Will Be Allowed to Graze on the East Slope of Lincoln Forest Reserve.

Superintendent of Forest Reserves B. Hanna has left for Tucson, Arizona, where he went to view the several new eserves in that vicinity.

Mr. Hanna says that the Lincol ounty stockmen, whose cattle are it the habit of ranging on the lands now composing the Lincoln forest reserve need have no fear that their cattle will not be allowed to graze there, as there is not a reserve in the United States where cattle are not allowed to feed, The only requirement the government makes it that those desiring to graze cattle on the reserve make application for permission to do so, this require ment being made only because the government wishes to know the number of cattle, ets., feeding on reserver Sheep may not be allowed to use the reserve, as there are only three reserves under Mr. Hanna's supervision where sheep are allowed to range namely the Gila, Black Mesa and San Francisco mountain reserves.

Acker's Blood Elixer positively cu chronic blood poisoning and all seroi lous affections. At all times a mate less system tonic purifier. Money re-funded if you are not satisfied, 50c and \$1. J. H. O'Reilly & Co. and B. H.

POLICE COURT.

A Hack Driver Gete a County Jail Se tence for Stealing.

er Scott, a young man of trades, will do thirty days is the ep ty jail. Beett at one time worked the Alvarado, later he was employ rove a back for W. L. Trimble But his late job was the stealng of an overcoat from Oliver Law

charge, but the evidence we to put him where he wouldn't "cold." Scott broke down and cr (isnagine a hack driver crying) where sentence was given, and said the had never been arrested before. ne had never been arrested before. He is the man who had the Rico Café chef arrested for hanging a frying past on his head.

Whence came that aprightly ste faultiess skin, rich, rosy comple smiling face. She looks good, good. Here's her secret. She uses Di King's New Life Pills, Result, — al organs active, digestion good, no head aches, no chance for "blues." Tr aches, no chance for "blues." 'them yourself. Only 25c. at all di

Just Look at Her.

A HAWK RESPONSIBLE.

Husband Mistook His Wife for a Haw and Shot Her.

Last Sunday Mrs. L. M. McDonald who lives up the river above Duncan Ariz., was accidentally shot by her husband, but fortunately was not fatally injured. The accident occurred as follows:

Mrs. McDonald saw a chicken hawk and her husband got out his rifle, one of the 44-caliber, sixteen-shot Winches ters, and took a shot at the hawk missing him. He sat down on the verting the ball out of the lot and a anda to wait for the hawk's return, of clean home run it was, Gross also the approach of another one. Mrs. Mc Donald went into the house, and then concluded to take a walk which did without telling her husband placed in his garden found a well to was going. She walked around for some time, and came up on the oppo site side of a knoll of ground from he husband. He saw her sunbonnet. by of Snapper Hale she may expect to thought it was another hawk, and took see her team take the scalp of all a shot at it, although it was several comers. It is to be hoped that a game hundred yards away. The ball hit may be arranged with Albuquerque so Mrs. McDonald in the tack, below the kidneys. It had reached the top of its flight at about the top of the knoll and was descending, when it hit her. This was known, because upon examination it was found that a person standing where she was at the time she was shot was invisible from the shoulders down. Dr. Crocker was called to trent her. The ball was buried in the pelvic cavity, and had not entered the abdominal cavity. The doctor does not look for any serious results from the accident. Mrs. Me-Donald is 67 years old and has been married forty years.

Look Pleasant, Please.

Photographer C. C. Harlan, of East on, Ohio, can do so now, though for years he couldn't, occause he suffered untold agony from the worst form of indigestion. All physicians and medicines failed to help him till be tried Electric Bitters, which worked such wonders for him that he declares they are a godsend to sufferers from dys-popula and stomach troubles. Unrivaled for diseases of the stomach, liver and kidneys, they build up end give new life to the whole system. Try them Only 50c. Guaranteed by all druggists

THE TERRITORIAL FAIR.

Not a Local Affair, but of General Im

portance. Albuquerque is putting forth extra efforts to make this fall's territorial fair a success, and in this work she should have the aid of the entire territory. With commendable sagacity City took a firm hold of the fair propo osition and she has tenaciously to her work with a steady, well directhas ceased to be a local matter. It has rheumatism. taken root and is of territorial importance. All New Mexico should exhibit at Albuquerque and visit and pat ronize the fair. True, sometimes dis satisfaction may arise in the award o premiums, but that is incident to all competitive contests. Mistakes of the past will be corrected by experience.

The Optic would like to see the fine fruit farms of Colfax exhibit at Albuquerque. Hon. F. A. Manzanares o this city now has fine orchards and it is to be hoped he may be able to show what San Miguel can do. J. E. Whitmore of Galffnas Springs, has fruit and stock that would make a good show at Albuquerque.

All hands join and have a commo meeting ground at Albuquerque.-Las Vegas Optic.

All Were Saved.

"For years I surrere such untold misery from bronchitis," writes J. H. Johnston, of Broughton, Ga., "that of ten I was unable to work. Then, w everything eise failed, I was wh cured by Dr. King's New Discovery consumption. My wife suffered inte-sely from asthma, till it cured her, an all our experience goes to show the best croup medicine in the wo A trial will convince you it's unrivaled for throat and lung diseases.
anteed bottles 50c and \$1.00.
bottles free at all druggists.

Emil Kleinwort, proprietor of the Third Street meat market, returned night before last from San Marcial where he purchased a carload of fine steers for his market here.

Shatters All Records.

Twice in hospital, F. A. Gulledg Verbana, Ala., paid a vast sum to do cure a severe case of causing 24 tumors. When all Bucklen's Arnica Salve soon him. Subdues inflamation, con aches, kills pains. Best salve world. 25c. at all druggists.

Railroad Topics

There are seven or eight machinists employed in the Las Vegas shops, who syerage from \$110 to \$115 per month

It is announced that the Santa Fe is preparing to establish its shops more than 1,000 miles of road at Amar-

Thirty-four railroads reporting for the first week of August shows gross earnings of \$6,350,767, a gain of \$238,-165, or \$4.8 per cept.

R. B. Mudge, formerly the efficient cashier at the Alvarado, has been advanced a notch and now presides as day clerk at the institution

Conductor J. B. Cunningham has returned to duty from Coronado Beach, Cal, where his wife will remain till the latter part of September for her bealth. Present indications are that the El

Paso & Southwestern will be raning is not known. trains into El Paso over its own rails soon after the 15th of September, M not by that date. John Conley, night foreman of the

round house, and sister. Miss Lours, expect to leave next Saturday for a month's outing at a number of the popular Pacific coast resorts

The Santa Fe has notified Agent Merrillies at Silver City that it has granted a rate of \$135 on cattle from Silver City to Chicago. This is a very material reduction in the rate. There is another movement of cattle

from Texas to Montana, there being nearly 20,000 head on the way now Apparently there is no end to the cattle movement in the Panhandle.

Geo, L. Shock, recently a Santa Po engineer, left Las Vegas for Trinidad, to accept a position on the Denver & Rio Grande. He will run an engine between Trinidad and Pueblo, Colo There were fourteen cars in the

Woodmen of the World excursion train which the Santa Fe handled to Kansas City Sunday. It was figured that betweer 500 and 600 went from Tope Rio Grande announces

nearly \$4,000,000 will be spent for new rolling stock and motive power, and for improvements not only in equipment, but in the physical condition of the system. "Dad" Clarke, who used to run

engine out of Emporia, Kas., has returned lately to that city from a tour of the Pecos valley in New Mexico. He reports crop prospects as being ex-cedent and business as heavy. The Peros Valley & Northeastern, a Santa Fe property of recent date, during in seasons handles immense stock traffic and in the near future the general development of the country is going to insure a business that will add to the dividends of the system. Fourteen patients yesterday at the

As Vegas railroad hospital. It is denied that there is any pros- properties. pect of a strike on the Mexican Na-

tional Winslow, was an Albuquerque visitor

yesterday. Engineer Jack Fenner is able to be ed and firm hand, until now the fair at work again after a severe siege with

Conductor J. B. Cunningham has returned from an extended outing on the

Pacific coast. Fireman DeBrun is enjoying a much needed rest. He has a thirty days' leave of absence.

Heavy shipments of material are be ing sent out from Chihushua for the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient road. Dr. J. Saylin, chief surgeon at the Santa Fe Pacific hospital, is under the weather a little on account of over-

Seven handsome new passet ger coaches have been received by the Rock Island which will be put into service from El Paso.

The site for the new depot at Dem ing has been surveyed and the construction work will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible.

Santa Fe officials point with pride to the fact that their trains are the only ones that have been reaching El Paso regularly on schedule time for the past few weeks.

William Errett, a railroad man from Raton, continues critically ill of typhold fever at the Las Vegas hospital. The other four typhoid patients are reported convalencent.

The proposed railroad from Congress Junction to the Colorado river is now assured. It will open up one of the richest mineral sections in Arizona. Frank M. Murphy is one of the leading promoters of the enterprise.

Several cars of a north bound Coloado & Southern freight were wrecked near Verde on the joint track between Trinidad and Pueblo at midnight on Monday night. The wreck is said to have been due to a broken wheel.

The Topeka Journal says: Thomas colors with the usual Leavenworth, and he says that he feels pany at Chicago and sure that the claim is unjust. His will succeed George out that the Pacific co mother always did tell him that he was goes to the Pac

He was bers in that city December 8. 1854, and three days before consurred the birth of Cors Lyle, the first white child. Wallace's father came to that part of Kansas from Kentucky in 1853 and helped clear up the site of the with her son in Topeka.

The Santa Fe is trying to get additional employes for their mechanical department. The reason given is that a rush of business is expected later in the year and that all bad cars are expected to be put in shape while traffic in light.

A Topeka dispatch says that Assistant Superintendent of Motive Power W. A. Nettleton, of the Santa Fe system, has tendered his resignation and will locate in Kansas City: where he will attend to private business. Mr. Nettleton was formerly connected with the "Memphis" road. His successor

A number of raffrond men at Alamogordo, N. M., have been disc John H. Harris, the new ad perties who have skipped that town leaving bills unpaid. He succeeded in getting away with his trunk, but his household goods were attached at the depot.

Mrs. Ida McEwen, formerly Miss Ida Croxford, to badly burned about two months ago by a gasoline explosion at La Junta, where her husband is a switchman, arrived in Las Vegas on Saturday evening, accompanied by her mother. She will remain there for some weeks on a visit to her parents She still has no use of her hands and arms, owing to the fearful burning of the cords in the same.

Christian Smith, the oldest living engineer in the country, is spending the declining years of his life in quietude near Harper's Ferry, says the Philadelphia Record. He is 90 years old. but still hale and hearty, and a fine speciment of manhood, He is over six feet in height and breet, and possesses all of his faculties. His eyesight is as good as that of the average person of younger years, and he does not have

to wear glasses, proper O. L. Merrill, & the Santa Fe Central, passed through Corrillos on his way to Santa Fe to visit his family.

Up to a late hour yester'ny the Rock Island had not been credited with buying the Clover Leaf, which road is said to be for sale. R. Sanders, foreman of the Navajo

Springs section gang, is at the local Santa Fe Pacific hospital suffering from a severe fliness. George Gould, president of the Mis-

sour! Pacific-Iron Mountain systems, has left New York for the west on a tour of inspection of his southyest The Mississippi railroad commis-

sloners Wednesday told the attorney general of the state not to interfere ip the merger of the Southern and Mo-Bert Ward in the employ of the

hand badly cut by glass while at work. and is now at Santa Fe receiving medical attention. The net earnings of the Chicago Eastern Illinois railroad for the year

Santa Fe railway at Lamy, had his

ending June 30, 1902, show an increase of nearly \$400,000. The mileage operated was 737.68. Mrs. Jack Fenner, who has been do ing the Pacific coast the past ten weeks, has returned to the city. She

is the wife of a well known Santa Fe Pacific engineer. John Fulton, of the water service on the Denver & Rio Grande at Salida, Colo., and well known in railroad circles, has taken a position with the El

Paso & Southwestern I I Hill save that the reduction in grain rates by the Great Northern and Northern Pacific means a loss to the two roads of \$2,750,000 annually. Re-

member, Hill says this. The report of the Chesapeake Ohio shows that the gross earnings for the year were \$16,524,378, an increase of \$1,152,857, and net earnings \$6,125, 886, an increase of \$320,225.

Attorney Charles E. Gast, of the Santa Fe. petioned Governor Orman, of Colorado, for a decrease in the road s taxes. The tax is \$18,057.68 a mile, which, he says, is not reasonable Russell Harding, third vice president and general manager of the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain syestems, who has been in the east for several days, will returned to St. Louis Satur-

The "Katy" has forbidden the new Fort Smith & Western railroad to cut its crossing at Crowder City, I. T., and an armed force is kept on guard day and night to prevent this. Trouble is feared.

the extension of the International & Great Northern Into Fort Worth, Texes, will be completed and frains run

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